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DAILY WEATHER REPORT  
Partly cloudy and slightly colder today and tonight. Wednesday cloudy and continued cold.

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## HUGE BARN ON NESHAMINY FARMS AT NEWTOWN SWEPT BY FLAMES, CAUSING LOSS PLACED AT \$35,000

Eighty Tons of Hay, Eight Tons of Straw, Huge Quantities of Feed and Valuable Equipment Are Burned—Two Sheep Cremated — Many Fire Companies at The Scene

(Special To The Courier)

NEWTOWN, Dec. 31.—With loss estimated at \$35,000, one of the largest fires to occur in Bucks county in years swept a large barn on the "Neshaminy Farms," the estate of George Tyler, 1½ miles west of this borough, late yesterday afternoon. The farm is located on the Newtown-Richboro Road.

As employees of the farms bent every effort to save 146 sheep, four horses and a cow housed in the frame structure, flames licked swiftly at the building and its harvest contents and machinery, eating in their fiery rush 80 tons of hay, seven or eight tons of straw, huge quantities of feed placed in the lower section for the sheep, and valuable equipment.

The barn is located on what is commonly referred to as the "Haupp Farm," which is one of several owned by Tyler, who raises all types of cattle, fowl, etc. In order to prevent the blaze from sweeping to nearby buildings, or the large dairy barn nearby, firemen from several companies remained at the scene for 1½ to two hours, with Newtown firemen and their equipment not leaving the site until one o'clock this morning. Realizing the danger should sparks drift in the wind to wagon houses and other structures in the immediate vicinity, the fire-fighters spent every effort to prevent further damage.

The blaze, which attracted a few thousand people to the scene during the height of the blaze, and during the hours which followed, is said to have been caused by the back-firing of a tractor, which John McNabb, farmer at that farm, and his son, Frank, were replacing in the barn after use. Bales of straw on the main floor immediately became prey for the sparks, and flames leaped swiftly to the mows above, setting the tons upon tons of hay and straw afire.

Sound an immediate alarm, other workmen from that farm, and from other of the Tyler places adjoining, as well as neighbors, rushed to the assistance of the McNabbs. Hurred calls were sent to fire companies in nearby communities, with the result that Newtown, Richboro, Langhorne, Southampton, Trevose and Trevose Heights firemen were soon on the scene with apparatus.

Of the large number of sheep in the barn, 146 only two were lost, so quickly did the employees and neighbors go about the task of releasing them. The four horses and one cow in the structure were also led to safety. A large number of cattle were in the barn-yard when the fire broke out, and were thus in safety.

The destroyed barn was of 2½ stories, stone stable high. It measured approximately 80 by 140 feet, and is said to be one of the largest barns in Bucks county.

McNabb's son, Frank, who aided in rescuing stock, was burned on one hand, and was treated at the scene by members of Newtown Fire Company.

Water to quench the flames was secured from the reservoir at the dairy barn, and also from the spring house.

The loss is said to be covered by insurance.

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LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS  
FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.  
AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY  
BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings  
Maximum ..... 45 F  
Minimum ..... 38 F  
Range ..... 7 F

8 a. m. yesterday ..... 42

9 ..... 40

10 ..... 41

11 ..... 42

12 noon ..... 44

1 p. m. ..... 43

2 ..... 42

3 ..... 43

4 ..... 42

5 ..... 42

6 ..... 42

7 ..... 42

8 ..... 40

9 ..... 40

10 ..... 40

11 ..... 41

12 midnight ..... 42

1 a. m. today ..... 42

2 ..... 41

3 ..... 41

4 ..... 41

5 ..... 40

6 ..... 39

7 ..... 38

8 ..... 39

P. C. Relative Humidity ..... 75

Precipitation (inches) ..... 0

a. m. Barometric Pressure ins.

8.00 ..... 30.253

**TIDES AT BRISTOL**

High water ..... 3.58 a. m., 4.22 p. m.

Low water ..... 11.09 a. m., 11.38 p. m.

## THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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### They Are Not Fools

Washington, Dec. 30.

WITH THE President's speech of Sunday night the great majority of the people of this country are in complete accord. Naturally, this would be true of the millions who solidly vote for and unswervingly support him.

But it is also true of many millions who have regularly voted against him, who are opposed to the New Deal philosophy and to practically all the Roosevelt domestic policies.

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AMONG the latter, in fact, are to be found the strongest and most vocal supporters of his foreign policy, enunciated in this address with a clarity, candor and force hard to surpass. Thus, it cannot be denied that in dealing with the problems arising from the war Mr. Roosevelt speaks for a nation far

### Howard Appleton Scores High in Pinochle Games

The Junior Catholic Daughters of America held a card party Saturday evening in the K. of C. Home. Miss Bessie Rafferty, junior chairman, had charge. There were 16 tables of players arranged and the game of pinochle enjoyed.

High scores were attained by: Howard Appleton, \$33; A. Gosline, 772; B. F. McGee, 770; Leona Bills, 742; Mrs. O. Ternes, 737. Prizes were awarded.

### LODGES, ORGANIZATIONS PLAN NEW YEAR PARTIES

#### Gala Events Scheduled For This Evening: Special Features Included

#### ALSO SPECIAL MENUS

Parties to usher in the New Year of 1941 are in store for hundreds here tonight, with lodges, some clubs, fire companies, and private families planning such events.

Bucks Lodge, No. 1169, Loyal Order of Moose, and also the Ladies of the Moose, are anticipating a gala time at the Moose home on Radcliffe street, starting at eight o'clock. A platter luncheon, and dancing to orchestral strains, are to be included.

Another lodge which will see the old year out and the new one in is Bristol Lodge, No. 970, B. P. O. Elks. The entertainment committee of the lodge is putting forth every effort to make this particular party a success. Innovations will be included in the special features, with "one treat following another," according to lodge members.

Officers are privileged to invite guests, a splendid menu being included in the cost of admission.

The annual New Year's party of Robert W. Bracken Post, No. 382, American Legion, starts at nine this evening, and invitations have been sent to post and Auxiliary members, with the result being anticipation of a large gathering.

A floor show, dancing to orchestra music, presentation of favors, serving of refreshments, will be included in the program.

Members of Croydon Fire Company, their wives, members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and the Sponsors Association, will participate in a gala joint affair in the fire station at Croydon tonight, witnessing the arrival of the year 1941.

#### Four New Houses Will Be Erected On Radcliffe St.

Excavation work has been started on North Radcliffe street, opposite Pine Grove, leading to erection of four houses by Hanford & Fabian.

The four new structures, each two stories in height, will be different in appearance and construction. One is to be built of stone and clapboard; one with stone front; another all brick, and the fourth of clinker brick.

Each house will have three bedrooms; and the large living rooms will measure 12' 9" by 23'. There will be an open fireplace in each living room. The houses will be insulated and air-conditioned; will be heated by oil; and roofs are to be of slate. Piping is to be of copper.

#### ARE RETROTED

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Conrad, Garden street, on Sunday announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alba Conrad, to Saveria Pappaterra, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Pappaterra, Lafayette street.

## Here and There in Bucks County Towns

Members of Bucks County Bar Association plan for their annual meeting to be held on January fourth at four o'clock, in the Bucks County court house at Doylestown.

The annual banquet is to follow at Doylestown Inn, the hour being seven p. m.

Election of officers of Prosperity Lodge, No. 567, Free and Accepted Masons, of Riegelsville, was followed by installation of officers last week.

Those installed are: Theodore Purcell, worshipful master; Jacob W. Fluck, senior warden; J. Marcus Nicholas, junior warden; Edwin E. Hollenbach, treasurer; Charles R. Muller, secretary; Marvin T. Koch, representative in the Grand Lodge, and R. W. Cyphers, R. C. Bachman, and Dr. F. G. Cope, trustees.

District Deputy Grand Master Frederick F. Bruck, Bethlehem, paid the lodge a visit. After the meeting a venison dinner was served to the members.

Donald B. Smith presented the speaker, B. Earl Druckenmiller presided at the meeting, but later turned over the gavel to the new president, Marco G. Bean. Birthday greetings were extended to William Scheil, Parker D. Coop and Walter Soltan.

Officers installed by Mr. Vanartsdalen are as follows: President, Marco G. Bean; immediate past president, B. Earl Druckenmiller; vice-president, W. O. Schell; treasurer, L. Weisel; financial secretary, Stanley Smith; secretary, Rev. E. W. Andrews, and directors, W. T. Notter, R. A. Tolleson, Max Klein, Herbert S. Meyer, Dr. F. C. Frederici, Donald B. Smith, C. D. Moyer, Walter Meserve and J. V. Chapman.

## PLAN FOR TIME-HONORED WATCH NIGHT SERVICES

### Three Churches Suburban To Bristol To Feature Such This Evening

### WORSHIP, SOCIABILITY

Three Watch Night services are arranged for tonight in churches in communities suburban to Bristol. They will be held at Cornwells Methodist Church, Eddington Presbyterian Church, and Hulmeville Methodist Church. Newingtonville Church congregation will join with Eddington group for the service.

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## 37 MEN FROM COUNTY TO BE CALLED FOR SERVICE NEXT MONTH

Eleven Will Be From Draft Board Area Located Here

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Nine Will Be Called From Langhorne and Nine From Quakertown

Of the 37 men to be called in January from Bucks County for Selective Service to be mustered into the U. S. Army for a year's military experience, eleven will be from the area of District Draft Board No. 1 here at Bristol. The men will be inducted at the National Guard Armory, 32nd street and Lancaster avenue, Philadelphia.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1940

NINETEEN FORTY-ONE

As the beginning of another year is ushered in by Father Time, the nation's problems and the world's are grave and formidable and the long-range outlook could scarcely be worse, but there is hope and determination that America shall triumph over both her problems and her enemies.

So most persons will throw aside their worries and their fears and celebrate the advent of 1941 as if it in reality held the golden promise of fulfillment of all their dreams. Only in such an attitude is there hope. Such an attitude is the American way, the way of conquering civilization.

The celebration of New Year's Day is one of the oldest customs in the world. It probably originated soon after calendars were invented and people learned to know what a year was.

In the United States the advent of the New Year is probably celebrated with more noise and jollification than anywhere else. The crowds that parade the streets of cities, the millions of people that sit out the old year, and shout and sing and play pranks as the clock strikes the fateful hour, reflect the enthusiasm and high spirits of the American temperament.

The ringing of joyous bells is probably the most universal of New Year customs. The New Year bells express satisfaction that the old year with whatever sorrow and defeat it brought has gone, and that the New Year is going to bring better things.

"Ring out wild bells, to the wild sky," wrote Alfred Tennyson. "The year is going, let him go. Ring out the false, ring in the true."

Youth's sanguine confidence is the attitude all need to share. Great trials may lie ahead in the next twelve months. But youth declares it is better to "greet the unseen with a cheer," as Robert Browning said. So when the nation proceeds into the New Year with cheerful courage and rejoicing, much of the battle is won.

## SUGAR FROM SORGHUM

It can mean much to the prairie states if the report proves true that Emil K. Ventre, scientist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, has succeeded at last in getting high grade sugar from sorghum. The effort to do this extends back over fifty years and several plains states once had an ambitious hand in it, for while the prairies can not equal Louisiana's sorghum production of two crops a year, sorghum has been a dependable crop on the prairies from the start.

A chemical discovery that would put sorghum sugar commercially on the market would add appreciably to farming prosperity in the Midwest. Years ago attention in Kansas particularly turned to this field but the chemists, including the renowned Dr. Wiley, could not carry sorghum beyond the syrup stage. They were defeated by a heavy starch content. Ventre is reported to have eliminated this impediment by adding a pancreatic substance to the syrup which digests the starch and turns it into sugar.

Note to florists: A temperance lecturer on the prairie circuit is pouring whisky on a geranium, which kills the geranium.

The bright boys who pounce on any new word have found another, and it wouldn't be surprising if by January I even a note left in the milk bottle will be a White Paper.

## NEWS BRIEFS FROM SUBURBAN TOWNS

## HULMEVILLE

formerly resided on Emilie Road with her aunt, Mrs. L. Russell, and attended Maple Shade school and Bristol high school. She is also the niece of Mrs. T. R. Logue, Newportville.

## FALLSINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Wolpert and son Charles were dinner guests on Christmas of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Dooling, Trenton, N. J.

On the holiday Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacSherry, Bristol, and Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford, Fallsington, were dinner guests on Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vandenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal W. Carter entertained on the holiday Mr. and Mrs. Edward Watson, Yardville Heights, N. Y.; and Mr. and Mrs. William Vandenberg, Fallsington.

Alex Sevenski and daughter Margaret, of Berlin, N. J.; and Mrs. Russell Hellings, of Bristol, paid a recent visit to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Buckalew.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cunningham spent Christmas in Quakertown.

Classified Ads deliver the goods.

## NEWPORTVILLE

In the absence of C. Burnley White, Raymond Perpente took charge of the services in Newportville Church, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Otto, Tacony, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Laura Otto, to James A. Christensen, Mayfair. No date has been set for the wedding. Miss Otto

## ANDALUSIA

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jackson spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fries.

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## The Great Game of Politics

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can be no doubt that the President has voiced what the great bulk of Americans have in their hearts.

VOICING this view, however, is not enough. Words are important, and that speech was badly needed. But, unless it is followed by clearly thought-out concrete deeds, they will be as futile as a good many of Mr. Roosevelt's words have been in the past. Last May he made a fine speech on the necessity for defense. Congress and the country responded and the billions he asked were promptly given. Then he proceeded to waste seven months of priceless time with a defense machinery setup which could not work and which he was told could not work when it was announced. He now denounces "defeatists" and "apostates." Yet he named to high position in his Administration men who spread the doctrine of defeatism—and are still doing it.

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## HONEYMOON PREFERRED by May Christie

## CHAPTER TWENTY-FIVE

Gaby returned that afternoon. She made no reference to the awkward meeting of yesterday in the little shack at Lake Placid. She pouted: "Cherie, they were angry with me at the hotel because I do not sing last night! I did not know they wished me to sing! So now they tell me to perform only on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday night, and they cut my salary in half!"

Jean thought: "As Rupert did to me! And serves her right, for it was all her fault!"

She went to her room and called Walter. Only his voice could calm her. He said cheerily: "How about nice girl and struggling lawyer going out for a bite to eat tonight?"

"Oh, I'd enjoy that," said Jean. They arranged to meet at the La Rue restaurant at seven. They'd see a certain movie after.

So now to have it out with Gaby, thought Jean. She went to her room. Her half-sister was speaking on the phone. Her disgruntled mood had changed. She was smiling. But when she saw Jean, she immediately hung up.

A suspicion that Gaby had just called Walter struck Jean. Ah, but she'd got the good work in first! Yet why did Gaby look so pleased?

At that moment, Rupert passed the open door of Gaby's room. Under the new ruling, Jean had to report to Rupert her whereabouts of an evening out. With Gaby here, she'd kill two birds with one stone. So she said, addressing her stepfather: "If you want to reach me this evening, I'll be at the La Rue from seven till around half past eight. I'm dining with Walter Malory. Afterwards, we're going to a picture."

Gaby looked oddly skeptical. Even amused.

Jean changed her mind about having it out with Gaby now. She wasn't going to upset herself tonight.

She was making her preparations in her bedroom when her phone rang. Walter apologizing, canceling the engagement on grounds that fresh business had come in which necessitated his working very late at the office!

Jean was sweet about it. But felt very low in spirit. She wondered, had he ditched her for Gaby?

Gaby, looking very chic, left the house at a quarter of seven. Jean dined with her parents alone, telling Rupert her engagement was postponed.

Afterwards, her mother went with her to the picture on Broadway she had expected to see with Walter that night. The show was a long one, with a stage performance. It was twenty minutes of midnight when they emerged. A newsboy outside the theater was yelling: "Murder!"

Well, what did she care? She still felt very low in mind and heart.

Casually, she bought an early edition of a morning paper. Gapsed. Stared.

Zeke, the man who had fought with Green in the roadhouse yester-

day, had been murdered this very evening!

Jean couldn't sleep. She couldn't stand the darkness, because her nerves were so jangled. Had she been the cause of it? Had Green on her account?

She had a desperate longing to talk to somebody about it. Was Gaby awake? Jean flung a robe about her, and in her bare feet softly padded down the passage, and saw a light shining through the transom over her half-sister's door.

She didn't knock, for maybe Gaby was asleep. She entered quietly.

Gaby, half dressed, was standing at her dresser that was opposite the door. Jean could see her clearly reflected in the mirror, sniffing the back of her right hand, a tiny box grasped in the left. Her eyes looked haunted, wild. What on earth was she doing?

Gaby swung around. "Spy!" Her eyes were fairly glaring out of her head. She had thrust the box behind her. "Spy!" she hissed.

"No! No!" Jean gasped. "It's that—Oh, Gaby, I'm frightened! A man I met last night—Zeke was his name—he's been murdered!"

"I—saw—it!" Gaby put a hand to her heart.

"In the paper, you mean?"

"No! No! I dare not look!"

"Then you heard about it, Gaby?"

"I heard it and—I saw it!" She spoke like a woman in a trance, "Saw—him—being—shot! He'll kill me—too!" Jean, save me!"

Jean had completely weaned Gaby away from her incipient dope-taking. That wasn't so hard to do, as it was only in the very early stages—and Gaby herself was afraid of what it might lead to.

Now, with Green escaped from jail, and headed north, there was a possibility that he would head for Gaby's hide-away at Lake Placid! And Jean was sure that on this Saturday, Gaby had gone there!

She phoned. There was no answer. Probably they were at the sanitarium for Armand's daily treatment. She decided it would be unsafe to talk on the phone anyhow. She'd go there by train.

It was raining when Jean arrived at the depot. She drove by taxi to the cabin. A light was burning in the livingroom. The front door was locked, but she found the key under the mat. She let herself inside. Gaby's suitcase was again in the small bedroom. But there was nobody there.

She waited, nervously, praying they would come.

Finally, she decided to phone the sanitarium, and find if Armand, anyhow, was there. She'd ask him to please hurry home.

She lifted the receiver from the hook, asked "information" for the number—then—snap! Complete silence!

She tried again...

Suddenly, she felt a gale of cold air in the room, and wheeled round, startled. The shade was blowing inward. A man was climbing through the lower half of the opened window. It was Green!

(To be continued)  
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## NOTHING else makes sense. Nor need he—or anyone else—be deterred for fear that the Axis powers might construe further aid, whether in convoys, transports, warships, planes or money, as actively hostile. If, after the President's speech and the reaction to it, the leaders of the Axis powers have any doubt of our active hostility, then either they do not understand the English language or they have exceedingly bad interpreters thereof. What is the use of talking? There has been no question of our active hostility for a good many months. What does our aid to Britain mean, anyhow? Against whom are we armoring? These Axis leaders are not fools. They know.

CHAMBERS—Suddenly at Bristol Township, Pa., December 29, 1940, Jennie M. Ruel, widow, wife of Thomas Chambers. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the service at the Ruel Funeral Home, 314 Cedar St., Bristol, Thursday, at two p. m. Interment in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Wednesday evening.

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Financial

Investments—Stocks, Bonds 39

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## Hitler Predicts Victory During 1941

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of democratic war-mongers and their Jewish, capitalistic supporters."

His New Year message stated in full: "Soldiers! the national socialist defense forces of greater Germany achieved glorious victories of unique greatness and defeated the enemy on land, at sea and in the air by their unprecedented bravery in the war year of 1940.

"All tasks which I was forced to give you were solved by your heroism and soldierly qualities.

"You defeated the enemy fighting forces by force of arms but conquered the occupied territories morally by your proud attitude and excellent discipline.

"Therefore, thanks to your high soldierly qualities, you succeeded within a few months in achieving the ultimate success for the vain but heroic struggle of the German defense forces in the World War. This world-historic struggle definitely wiped out the disgrace of the former surrender at Compiegne.

"As supreme commander I thank you soldiers of the Army, Navy and Air Force for your unique achievements and I thank you also in the name of the entire German people.

"We thank our comrades who would give their life in this struggle for the future of our people.

"The war must be continued in accordance with the will of democratic war-mongers and their Jewish, capitalistic supporters. Representatives of the world which is breaking down still believe they will be able to achieve in 1941 what they failed to achieve in the past.

"We are ready. Armed as never before, we are standing at the beginning of a New Year.

"I know everyone will do his duty. God will not forsake those who, endangered by the world, are determined brave-heartedly to help themselves."

Meanwhile the Berlin press remained silent regarding President Roosevelt's aid-to-Britain speech but the Hamberger Tageblatt published a sharp editorial under the headline:

"How Roosevelt understands neutrality."

The Tageblatt said the President's speech revealed clarity on one point only—namely, close Anglo-American co-operation and the determination of the American government to grant armament support to England.

But the paper said that Mr. Roosevelt left the main points of the American neutrality question unanswered.

"This," said the editorial, "may especially hurt the London war-mongers who expected very concrete information regarding the extent of American support in order to launch a new wave of optimism among their people."

However, this was contradicted by the numerous reservations which President Roosevelt, skillfully and more or less unconsciously, made, although he could not conceal them altogether.

"Mr. Roosevelt carefully avoided giving concrete information to the worried Britons regarding the amount of America's war industries will be able to fulfill the additional British orders aside from the United States' own increased requirements.

"With the subordinate sentence, 'what we can possibly spare,' he passed over the cardinal point of his entire move in support of Britain.

"He repeated these same tactics on the question of delivering destroyers, and on this point he offered merely well-sounding phrases to the British.

"Mr. Roosevelt therefore must admit that criticism of the United States is correct and that its present production capacity is not sufficient to fill the gap caused by war losses in British production.

"Opposition in Congress to Mr. Roosevelt's program is expected to be based especially on this point.

"Influential United States quarters, by their unrestricted war propaganda, will enormously increase the need of security on the North American continent.

"This mendacious propaganda now will show its effects to the disadvantage of these circles as well as England."

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AURORA, Neb.—GINS.—To be Catlett declared only a court order could

convince him he had not "bought" \$165 goods of the late Lottie Pfeifer. Catlett

had 40 cents. At a sale of personal belongings he trucked it to his

home, where a drawer fell out revealing \$165 in currency. Catlett declared he will return it, but only on an order from the courts.

## Chronology OF THE YEAR 1940 COMPILED BY JOHN D. GRANT

## EUROPEAN WAR

SWASTIKA OVER PARIS—Mark of the Nazi conqueror, the swastika, floats over crushed Paris following invasion. Famed Eiffel Tower can be seen in background.

### JANUARY

2—Finland claims destruction of a Russian division.

20—Winston Churchill warns Europe's neutrals they cannot keep out of war and asks them to join the allies.

### FEBRUARY

1—Russians start heavy assault on the Manheim line.

9—President sends Sumner Welles to confer with rulers of Britain, France, Italy and Germany.

16—Sweden rejects Finnish plea for aid with troops.

17—British raid German prison ship in Norwegian waters, releasing 320 convicts.

24—Winston Churchill declares Britain never will conclude peace with present Reich rulers.

### MARCH

1—Russians enter Vipuri, key Finnish city.

12—Ally Britain aid to the Finns.

13—British-Finnish peace treaty signed, Russia getting Karelian isthmus and naval base at Hangoe.

17—Nazi bombers raid British anchorage at Scapa Flow.

### APRIL

4—Winston Churchill given general supervision over Britain's fighting strength.

9—Germans occupy Denmark, which submits, and invades Norway, which resists.

12—Germans capture more Norwegian ports, while British fleet tries to cut supply line across Skagerrak.

16—British expedition arrives on Norway coast and is battered by German bombers.

30—Germans capture Dombaa, key rail town in Norway.

### MAY

3—Norwegian army in central Norway seeks peace as British and French with draw.

11—Allies rush aid to low countries: Church-

ill succeeds Chamberlain as prime minister.

14—British armies cease resistance.

15—Nazis plan for Balkan raid; believed aimed at Rumanian oil.

19—Weygand replaces Gamelin as French commander; Germans within 80 miles of Paris.

21—Germans reach French channel coast, cutting off British Hellespont forces.

22—British, with Hitler's blessing, march across Europe for war; laser and wealth to be drafted.

29—British fleet attacked and pursued by British.

30—Rumanian troops shell Iron Guard rebels.

### JUNE

4—Nazis take Dunkirk; Hitler vows to destroy Joe.

Last allied troops leave Dunkirk.

8—French forced back by onslaught of million French.

9—Allies evacuate Narvik; Norway surrenders to Germany.

10—Italy declares war on the allies. Germans cross the Rhine to defend Paris.

13—British march to Paris to defend Paris.

14—Germans attack Maginot line in effort to trap million French.

17—Petain, 80, ruler of France and Germany for armistice, Britain declares it will fight on alone.

20—Germans pick Compiegne, scene of 1918 armistice, for peace.

22—Nazis terms strip France of arms and navy inferior.

23—French government repudiated by Britain.

24—Germany ends war on France; cease fire order issued.

26—Soviet and Rumania planes clash.

27—Rumania cedes Bessarabia and northern Transylvania to Hitler.

28—French colonies in Asia and Africa give up fight.

Rumanians fight Red troops, kill many.

### JULY

1—Germans occupy two British islands in channel. Rumania renounces Anglo-French guarantee of her independence.

2—British navy acts to take over scattered units of French fleet, attacking ships that had fled.

4—British report seizure of 250 French naval vessels.

Waves of German raiders blast at new British port.

5—British government at Vichy, dominated by Berlin, breaks off relations with Britain.

6—French naval squadron at Alexandria.

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12—British naval forces capture British Somaliland.

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14—Churchill declares Britain ready to fight for years.

15—Gibraltar raided, four times.

16—British calls on Britain to give up the war or face destruction of the empire.

21—Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia, under pressure from Moscow, vote to join the Soviet Union.

23—France seizes Daladier and former allies.

29—Germany launches mass air raids on Britain.

### SEPTEMBER

10—British bombs hit Reichstag building in heart of Berlin.

11—Buckingham palace in London damaged by air bombs.

12—Italy opens drive against Egypt.

13—Italy invades Egypt; takes two towns.

14—British fleet blasts Italian forces invading Egypt.

15—British warships shell West African port of Dakar.

24—British bombs Berlin for three hours.

25—German emperor King Haakon; end Norway's monarchy.

27—Germany, Italy and Japan sign war alliance.

### OCTOBER

2—British planes bomb Krupp plant in Germany.

3—Neville Chamberlain resigns from Britain.

4—Hitler and Duce confer on war crisis. Serve notice there will be no let up on Britain.

7—German troops enter Rumania.

15—British cruiser sinks three Italian destroyers.

17—British open Burma road.

18—Axis demands on Greece include abdication of king, pro-Axis government and yielding of land.

23—Six weeks of attacks balked invasion, British say.

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### NOVEMBER

4—Byrd expedition funds cut out of house appropriation bill.

5—Senate votes to extend President's reciprocal trade powers.

6—State department urges Americans to buy billion dollars' worth of planes in

7—House committee rejects Roosevelt's \$27 million dollar bid for locks in Panama canal.

29—Senate academy awards go to Robert Donat and Vivien Leigh.

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### OCTOBER

1—Congress passes excess profits tax bill.

3—Congress passes 1½ billion dollar war

4—House votes to extend President's reciprocal trade powers.

5—Navy orders out 27,591 fleet and marine

## PARTIES

## SOCIAL EVENTS

## ACTIVITIES

## Two Organizations Conduct Parties at Newportville

NEWPORTVILLE, Dec. 31—Members of the Y. P. C. U. held their annual Christmas party Friday evening in Newportville Church basement. The following officers were chosen: President, Miss Barbara Ingraham; vice-president, Karl Kohler; secretary, Miss Ella Potts; treasurer, Edward Kohler.

A banquet was also planned to be held in the church basement on Jan. 31st. Games were played and prizes awarded. Refreshments were served and gifts exchanged.

Mrs. Walter Bowker was hostess to the Sorosis at her home on Friday evening at a Christmas party. A "quiz" was enjoyed, and Mrs. R. Deweese was the prize-winner. Gifts were exchanged and each one's "mystery sister" was revealed, and new ones for the year were chosen.

Those attending: Mrs. W. Hahnenmann, Mrs. J. Dixon, Mrs. R. Deweese, Mrs. R. Given, Mrs. E. Martin, Mrs. G. Schumacher, Mrs. E. Stevenson, the Misses Lillian and Laura Cameron Ruth Erny, Ruth Ingraham.

## In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings . . .

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baumann and daughters Carol and Peggy, Wilson avenue, were Christmas guests of relatives in Lodi, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGinley and family, Mayfair; and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Alpin, Otter street, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McGinley, Buckley street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, Collingswood, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Ewing and son, Florence, N. J.; and Mrs. Elmer Lowden, Burlington, N. J., were guests last week of Mrs. M. Dugan, New Buckley street.

Mrs. William Horton and William Horton, Jr., Burlington, N. J., and Miss Laith Schweppenheiser, Riverside, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Augustus Praul, Wood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Faranaca and family, Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Norato, Dorrance street. Mrs. Norato and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Norato, Dorrance

## ON THE SCREENS

## GRAND THEATRE

A few seasons ago Warner Bros. released a thrilling film about Uncle Sam's tar starring James Cagney and Pat O'Brien called "Here Comes the Navy." It received the undisputed praise of public and critics alike. Since then, world events and the defense program of the American people has given this film more meaning and a stronger appeal than when first shown. Realizing this, Warner Bros. decided to re-issue the film and it will start its local run at the Grand Theatre this midnight, matinee and evening.

"Here Comes the Navy" carries some of the most breathtaking thrills ever witnessed, in addition to supplying plenty of hilarious comedy and a glowing romance. The action takes place aboard the U. S. S. Arizona (this is especially significant since such units of the fleet would not be available for motion picture companies at the present time) and at the Naval Training Station at San Diego, California.

## BRISTOL THEATRE

The time can be today, the place can be Europe, and still life can be good to live! Without a trace of hysteria, with their eyes wide open to the world about them, Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland show how in "Arise, My Love," the amazingly inventive and full-hearted photoplay which brings them together on the screen of the Bristol Theatre.

The most amazing detective of magazine fiction, Jimmy Wong comes to life on the screen of the Bristol Theatre at midnight when Monogram's "Phantom of Chinatown" begins an engagement.

Johnny Downs, Barbara Jo Allen and Mary Lee are again united in "Melody and Moonlight," which comes to the Bristol Theatre tonight at midnight.

## RITZ THEATRE

Romping through the gay comedy "An Angel From Texas," which is coming to the Ritz Theatre at midnight, is the gay trio of "Brother Rats"—Eddie Albert, Wayne Morris and Ronald Reagan—and their three comedy girl friends—Rosemary Lane, Jane Wyman and Ruth Terry.

Melody and scenic beauty mark "Wagon Train." Ray Whitley and his Musical Buckaroos provide the lively cowboy rhythms, and the magnificent natural splendor of Kanab, Utah, offers break-taking backgrounds.

Emmett Lynn as the laugh-maker and Martha O'Driscoll as Tim Holt's lovely leading lady are excellent in their featured supporting roles.

## Today's Quiet Moment

(By Howard L. Zepp, Th. M.)

Great and Glorious God, the One and Perfect Love, let the light of Thy love shine upon us as we leave the door of the old year, and enter into the fulness of the new year. Accept our grateful thanksgiving for the opportunities we have had. Lift the loads of trouble that have weighed down the spirits and hearts of so many during the past year, and make their faces shine with gladness. Amen.

street, will spend New Year's Day at the Faranaca home in Philadelphia.

Ernest Lawrence, 3rd, Torrsdale, spent the week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, 3rd, Radcliffe street.

Mrs. Ruth Jacoby, Lafayette street, has been confined to her home with an attack of grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosert VanAken, Jr., Holmesburg, have been spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Robert VanAken, Sr., McKinley street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keating, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Margaret Mahan, Cobbs Ferry, N. Y.; Mrs. William Taaffe and daughter Mary and son, Edward, Philadelphia, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Younglove, Beaver street.

Edward Monaco, a student at the University of Michigan; Miss Viola Monaco, a student at Beaver College, Jenkintown, and Miss Marion Monaco, Swarthmore, have been spending the holidays at their home on McKinley street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Parshly and family, Trenton, N. J., were entertained on Christmas Day by the Misses Gallagher, Buckley street.

Mrs. Cecelia Shibe, Mrs. Francis Forbes, Miss Cecelia Forbes and Donald Forbes, West Philadelphia, were Tuesday and Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flum, Otter street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gilliland, Doylestown, Miss Mildred Miller, Lafayette street, were dinner guests on Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Paul White, New Buckley street.

Mrs. William Girard Terlingo and son John, Winchester, Va., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Piccart, Washington street. Mrs. Terlingo and son remaining for several weeks. Miss Mary Scott, Trenton, N. J., was a recent guest of Miss Frances Piccart.

Mrs. William Lukens, Jenkintown, has been spending several days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pope, Beaver street. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pope were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Comfort, White Horse, N. J.; Miss Frances Ennis, Paoli; Evans Comfort, Malvern; Mrs. Harry H. Headley and Miss Gertrude Pope, Jefferson avenue.

Miss Hilda M. Pope will be the guest of Miss Eleanor Comly, Germantown, Tuesday evening and Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph Testa and family, Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Margaret Breslin, Race street.

## Latest News

Continued from Page One

## Announce Production of 2,000-H.P. Airplane Engines

Philadelphia, Dec. 31—Two airplane engines nearly twice as powerful as any in previous use anywhere have been produced in America during the past year, the American Association for the Advancement of Science was informed today.

Furthermore, this nation could begin production of a fighter plane that would make obsolete all present types here and abroad, according to Dr. Jerome C. Hunsaker, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

He described development of the new types of 2,000-horsepower engines as the "most important single advance of 1940 in aviation." As a result of this development, Dr. Hunsaker said, fighting planes can now be built of much greater speed than any possible enemy.

## State Department Rejects Appeal

Washington, Dec. 31—The State Department today rejected the appeal of the "no foreign war committee" to make public what the committee's chairman, Verne Marshall, Cedar Rapids, Ia., publisher, described as a "just and honorable" German peace offer relayed to the United States through private channels in October, 1939.

Marshall said the plan bore the initials of high Nazi leaders including Marshal Goering and was brought to this country by W. R. Davis, New York oilman. The offer specifically provided that the warring nations sit down around a conference table at the White House with President Roosevelt as mediator, the Iowa editor said.

## Creates Trust Fund

Lancaster, Pa., Dec. 31—The \$1,000,000 Shock Independent Oil Co., Mt. Joy, Lancaster County, today was converted into a trust, the income of which will be devoted for the good of the community.

Declaring that "after reasonable provision for women and children, a man's estate should go to the general welfare.

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fare in conformity with the Christian teaching that every man is his brother," Clarence Shock announced the initial distribution of \$20,000 to Lancaster county public schools, for use as directors deem best.

The W. P. A. in Pennsylvania has blossomed out with its own newspaper, Shock, owner and founder of the company, stated that "all the income, except such limited part as is payable to the donor's wife during her natural life," will be expended for the benefit of the community.

## AT THE CAPITOL

HARRISBURG, Dec. 31—(INS)—Preparations are complete for the biennial convocation of the 134th General Assembly at noon Tuesday, January 1st. The Senate and House will meet separately and each will organize and elect its officers. This is expected to be done with dispatch, as the Democrats control the House by a good majority and the Republicans are well in control of the Senate. Following this there will be a joint session of the two bodies in the House of Representatives chamber for the election of a Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau. Former Assemblyman Herbert B. Cohen, of York, a Democrat, will be elected to the \$7500 a year job. With this done, the Assembly will recess for a week or two.

Pennsylvania today owes its 67 counties \$7138,464. The money, due the counties last June 30th and December 1st, is now scheduled to be paid June 30, 1941, a month after the end of the current biennium. The special session of the Legislature last May transferred \$1,000,000 from the gasoline tax fund to the general fund to be used for relief. Each county is supposed to receive half-cent from each gallon of gasoline sold in the county. Most counties have had to revamp their annual budgets to make up the deficit. Many of them have been forced to borrow.

Prunes fit smoothly into the breakfast menu as the fruit course or to change the flavor of cooked cereal.

Stuffed prunes are a good salad ingredient, and plain cooked prunes are excellent for making a variety of desserts, such as upside-down cake, dumplings, turnovers, shortcake, and fluffy fruit whips.

Prune bread is a specialty both wholesome and good. Simply add chopped prunes to a standard yeast bread recipe, just as for raisin bread.

Prunes are easy to cook. However, there is a right way to cook any dried fruit—a quick way that makes the prunes plump and juicy, makes them smooth and shiny on the outside. This is the method food experts of the Federal Bureau of Home Economics sug-

gest: Wash the prunes and put them in a saucepan, cover with hot water, and Prunes are a between-season and an all-season fruit, with excellent keeping qualities. There's economy in serving 12 prunes, for each pound gives about 12 servings at a surprisingly low cost.

This is a factor to consider especially after the holidays when the food allowance is likely to be reduced to meet some of the Christmas bills.

The supply of iron is a major point in favor of prunes, and they also furnish some calcium. This is especially important because these two minerals must be checked constantly in the average diet. Besides iron and calcium, prunes furnish some vitamin B1 and some vitamin A. But do not depend on prunes for vitamin C, because most of that vitamin is lost when the prunes are dried.

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**MANHATTAN SOAP TEAM  
WINS SIXTH STRAIGHT**

Winning its sixth straight game, the Manhattan Soap A. A. entered the play-offs to determine the first half championship of the Bristol Basketball League by taking measure of the Fifth Ward Sporting Club, 41-36, last night on the Italian Mutual Aid court.

The soap-makers were pressed to win the tilt from the Warders and only expert marksmanship by Frank Hufnall and Joe Snyder turned the tables of the game. These two boys scored 13 field goals between them and were the deciding factors in the Manhattan victory.

The Warders lost the game on fouls. Out of the thirteen free shots they were granted from the fifteen foul mark, the Fifth Ward team converted but four. Even in the final stages of the tilt when every point counted, the Pieomen were missing fouls.

If Steve Florio and Sodde Caro had been a little more successful in their foul shooting there may have been a different tale to the story. This pair missed seven foul throws between them, enough to turn the tide of the contest.

The Warders put up an excellent contest thanks to the shooting of Willie VanLenten but despite the efforts of the State College lad, the eagle-eye shooting of Hufnall and Snyder was more successful.

Whenever the Fifth Ward club seemed to be sifting into the Manhattan lead, Hufnall or Snyder would spin in a few double-deckers to enable the Radcliffe street crew to take a commanding lead.

In the final quarter when both Snyder and Hufnall were forced to take it easy because of having three personal fouls called on them, Punkie Zeffries stepped into the picture to score three field goals, his only ones of the night.

Zeffries put the Manhattan team in a nine point lead but Pica and Caro shaved this four points by sinking but two pointers. The Manhattans then put another youngster on the spot-light. Instead of feeding the ball to the now well-guarded Zeffries, the sphere was passed to Douglas Kelly. Within a minute, Kelly had made two one-handed slams at the basket and both throws were good for field goals. These goals took whatever spark the Fifth Warders had left out of them and only VanLenten came through in the dying minutes to score twice.

Hufnall scored sixteen points in the Manhattan triumph and thrilled the fans with three long shots within a minute in the third period after Fifth Ward had come within one point of tying the count. Snyder had a quintet of field goals while for the losing club, VanLenten hit the cords for seven double-deckers and a foul while Pica and Gallagher played fine defensive games.

**Fifth Ward (36)** F.G. P.F. FT. Pts.  
Pica f. 3 2 8 6  
Caro f. 4 0 4 6  
Pica f. 0 1 2 1  
McGee f. 1 0 0 2  
VanLenten c. 7 2 12  
DiMilio g. 0 0 0 0  
Capece g. 0 0 0 0  
Florito g. 1 0 3 2  
DiLuccio g. 0 0 0 0  
  
16 4 13 36  
**Manhattan (41)**  
Zeffries f. 3 0 0 6  
Hufnall f. 0 0 0 0  
Hufnall c. 2 1 3 12  
Snyder s. 5 0 0 10  
Muyligan g. 0 0 0 0  
Kelly g. 2 0 0 0  
Gallagher g. 2 1 4 5  
  
20 4 18 41  
Score at half-time: 5th Ward, 12; Manhattan, 16. Referee: Morgan. Timer: Tentinger. Time of periods: 10 minutes. Scorer: Ferry.

**QUARTET OF RUFFIANS  
BOOKED FOR ARENA**

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 31.—An all-star holiday card is scheduled for the Trenton Arena tomorrow night with Tony Canzoneri, the former featherweight champion, refereeing the free-for-all. Canzoneri, long one of the most popular champions ever to hold a title, has never appeared in a Central Jersey ring despite the long and honorable career in the ring. He will have his hands full trying to keep order between the Italian, bald-headed and knob-eared freak, Otto Brill, the California red demon, Al Narciso, the lively Lith and Otto Wallack, the Dutch wizard. This quartet of mat ruffians are accomplished free-for-all experts and a man like Canzoneri will be needed to keep order.

Two bouts between the exciting female grapplers are also on the program. Zoska Burkska, recent subject of a series of articles in a nationally known magazine, will tangle with Betty LaBushy, French-American champion. Peggy West, the Kentucky hillbilly, will come to grips with Hanka Kavetzka, the European beauty. These girls are sensations in every mat center and will provide top-flight action tomorrow.

Karol Krauser, the Polish adonis, and one of the finest grapplers in the game, will tangle with John Mlsas, of Greece, in the feature time limit match and Michele Leone, the classy Italian, will tie with Benny Rosen, the Jewish champion.

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The first bout will start at 8:30 p.m. and popular prices will prevail.

**SAGOLLA AND PETRICK  
SCORE FOR FRANKLIN**

Sagolla put Franklin in the lead until the final quarter.

McGee and Dugan stood out for the Auto Boys with Sagolla, Petrick, and Cialella doing the bulk of the work for the winning combination.

FRANKLIN (29)	F.G.	FT.G.	FT.	Pts.
McGee f.	0	0	1	0
Dugan f.	0	0	0	0
Cialella f.	3	3	3	9
B. Barletta f.	1	1	3	3
Petrick c.	0	0	6	6
Cialella c.	0	0	0	0
Sagolla g.	5	0	1	10
D'Luca g.	0	1	2	1
B. Barletta g.	0	0	0	0
D'Luca g.	12	6	19	29

AUTO BOYS (24)	F.G.	FT.G.	FT.	Pts.
McGee f.	3	0	2	6
Dougherty f.	2	2	4	6
Uasset f.	0	0	0	0
Dugan c.	2	0	0	4
McGhee g.	0	0	4	4
L. Dugan g.	0	0	0	0
B. Barletta g.	11	2	7	24

Score at half-time: P. A. C., 16; B. Barletta, 10. Referee: Morgan. Timer: Tentinger. Time of periods: 10 minutes. Scorer: Ferry.

**AUDUBON DEFEATS  
CROYDON AS FISTS FLY**

Saturday evening at the Frankford Roller-Rink, Frankford, before the largest crowd of spectators yet to witness a Pennsylvania-New Jersey Roller Hockey League game, the Audubon Zephyrs defeated the Croydon Ramblers by the score of 5 to 3.

The game was featured by several free-for-all fights which broke out

between the Auto Boys and the Cialella, Petrick and

McGee and Dugan.

Field goals by Joe McGee and Dugan

cut deeply into the Franklin lead in

the last period and just when the

Franklin team appeared to be going

into oblivion it stepped Bob Petrick

with a side shot to increase the lead.

Not content with this, Sagolla fol-

lowed with one from the center of the

floor and all hopes for the Auto Boys

went amiss.

The game was low scoring from the

start. The first period ended with the

count 5-2 with Franklin ahead thanks

to a field and foul goal by Joe Cialella.

In the second quarter, the Auto Boys

deadlocked it on four field goals. Pairs

of field goals by Cialella, Petrick and

McGee and Dugan.

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among the players, as the game was rough and the feeling was tense. Several accidents marred the game, as goalie Dick Johnson of the Ramblers got struck upon the mouth with the puck as he made a save. After receiving medical aid he continued, and finished the game.

E. Berger, of the Zephyrs, was checked against the boards and had the breath knocked out of him and had to be carried from the floor, as the game continued to be one of the roughest games the Croydon boys have played in this season.

**Croydon Ramblers**  
Johnson ..... goalie .....  
Sottung ..... r. d. .....  
Bickert ..... l. d. .....  
Geo. Ritter ..... c. .....  
(Bud Ritter ..... r. w. .....  
Leeper ..... l. w. .....  
Alternates: Croydon — Bell, Keene,

**Audubon**  
P. Geders .....  
S. Sotting .....  
E. Berger .....  
menico. .....  
Referee: Farrell.

**FALLSINGTON**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Michner, Mountain Home, were Tuesday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Headley. Mr. and Mrs. Woodward Carter and son Woodin, were Christmas guests at the home of Mrs. Kalapos, Trenton, N. J. Mrs. Joseph Hewitt, Middletown Conn., is spending the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. Crawford Hutchinson. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartman had as Christmas guests Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bratton, Mr. and Mrs. John Geyser, Trenton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rymer and children, New York. Croasdale Tomlinson has been in Charles Hospital, Trenton, N. J., having had an operation on his arm.

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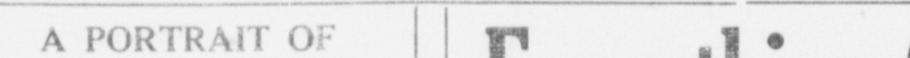
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